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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR OFFICIAL UNCTAD FLEET TONNAGE FIGURES FOR SUPPORTERS OF THE UNCTAD CONVENTION ON A CODE OF CONDUCT FOR LINER CONFERENCES

REF: TD/B/C.4/INF.21 DATED MARCH 20, 1978

1. MISSION IS REQUESTED TO OBTAIN FROM UNCTAD SECRETARIAT (SHIPPING DIVISION) AN OFFICIAL RECKONING OF RATIFICATION STATUS OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR LINER CONFERENCES. DEPARTMENT IS PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN OBTAINING RELEVANT FLEET SIZE FIGURES (QUOTE GROSS TONS OF GENERAL CARGO (VESSELS) AND CONTAINERS UNQUOTE, BOTH IN ABSOLUTE TERMS AND AS A PERCENTAGE OF APPLICABLE TOTAL WORLD TONNAGE) FOR THE 28 NATIONS THAT HAVE ACCEDED TO, RATIFIED, OR DEFINITIVELY SIGNED THE CODE CONVENTION (SEE REF). AS
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MISSION IS AWARE, CODE'S COMING INTO FORCE DEPENDS UPON PERCENTAGE OF WORLD TONNAGE AS WELL AS NUMBER OF STATES RATIFYING.

2. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING UNCTAD SECRETARIAT FIGURES FOR ALL 82 ODD NATIONS WHICH PARTICIPATED IN 1974 CONFERENCE WHICH DRAFTED THE CODE.

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INFORMATION SHOULD BE SENT TO DEPARTMENT (EB/TRA/MA).

3. FYI: DEPARTMENT WISHES TO VERIFY THAT SECRETARIAT IS USING PROPER BASIS FOR TONNAGE FIGURES, AS SPECIFIED IN CONVENTION ITSELF. DEPARTMENT UNDERSTANDS THIS TO BE TABLE 2 OF LLOYD'S 1973 QUOTE REGISTER OF SHIPPING UNQUOTE, STATISTICAL TABLES. END FYI. VANCE

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